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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed August 28, 2003 (Paper No. 21), the shortened statutory period for which runs until November 28, 2003. Please reconsider the application in view of the remarks presented below.